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Memorandum

Subject: **Passenger Manifest ANPRM**
Discussion with **ATA**

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From Office of the Secretary

Reply to
Attn of

Gregory C. Marshall

to Docket **47383**

During discussions between the Department of Transportation and a representative of the airline industry (Air Transport Association) regarding DOT's release of an ANPRM on Passenger Manifest, the industry envoy expressed concern for the costs of implementing such a rule as well as the feasibility of meeting the 120 day deadline. The industry representative also brought the problem of foreign privacy laws to the attention of the DOT staff.

The DOT staff expressed interest in learning more about the airlines' computer systems and advances in identification data processing. DOT stated that the purpose of the ANPRM was to ask these types of questions and to give the private sector an opportunity to respond.

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